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Atty Havlisch, Hal B., sole practitioner (for Petitioner Linda Miranda Alta-Mirano, Administrator)

Petition for Termination of Proceedings and Discharge of Administrator for Want of Assets Subject to Administration

DOD: 2/17/1999			LINDA MIRANDA ALTA-MIRANO, Administrator appointed on 12/27/2002, is Petitioner.	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
			Petitioner states:	
✓ ✓ ✓	Aff.Sub.Wit. Verified Inventory PTC Not.Cred. Notice of Hrg Aff.Mail	 	 The Decedent owned a small parcel of vacant property at the time of her death, shown on Inventory and Appraisal filed 8/5/2003 and valued at \$10,000.00; However, the real property has been lost due to a sale by Fresno County because of delinquent property taxes, and there are now no assets of the estate subject to administration; One claim was filed against the estate: Department of Health Care Services for 	
✓	Aff.Pub. Sp.Ntc. Pers.Serv. Conf. Screen		\$5,935.09; the claim has been allowed in full by the Administrator, but there are no assets of the estate with which to pay the claim.	
	Duties/Supp Objections Video Receipt CI Report	702	Administration of the estate be immediately terminated for want of assets; and Petitioner be discharged as the Administrator of the Estate.	
✓ ✓	9202 Order Aff. Posting Status Rpt UCCJEA Citation FTB Notice			Reviewed by: LEG Reviewed on: 3/3/14 Updates: Recommendation: File 1 – Guadarrama

Diane Catanich (Estate)

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Atty Burnside, Leigh W (for Petitioner Susan Dinger)
Letters of Special Administration

DOD: 4/8/2009 Cont. from 121613. 020514 Aff.Sub.Wit. Verified Inventory PTC Not.Cred. Notice of Hrg W/ Aff.Mail Aff.Pub. Sp.Ntc. Pers.Serv. Conf. Screen Letters **Duties/Supp Objections** Video Receipt CI Report 9202 Order Aff. Posting **Status Rpt UCCJEA** Citation **FTB Notice**

SUSAN DINGER is petitioner and requests appointment as Special Administrator without bond.

Petitioner states the only asset of the estate consists of real property interest appraised at a total value of \$4,191.78. Based on the value of the real property interest can be transferred under Probate Code § 13200 pursuant to an Affidavit re: Real Property of Small Value.

Under the Will of Diane Catanich, her surviving spouse, Peter Catanich, received the residue of the estate and was the successor to Decedent's real property. However, Peter Catanich died on 5/10/2010 approximately a year after the Decedent's death. Based on Peter's death there is no one authorized to sign as successor of the decedent as defined in under Probate Code § 13006 and § 13200.

Due to the small value of the estate
Petitioner requests that she be appointed
as Special Administrator and be authorized
to transfer the property interest to Peter
Catanich by executing an Affidavit re Real
Property of Small Value.

NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:

Note: Please see related case on page 10, The Estate of Peter Catanich.

 Probate Code allows appointment of a special administrator to perform a specific act however there does not appear to be authority to pass property to the beneficiaries of the estate via a special administration.

It would seem to be more appropriate for petitioner to have filed a petition for Special Administration of Peter Catanich's estate for the sole purpose of signing the Affidavit re Real Property of Small Value (Probate Code § 13200) to pass the property from Diane's estate to Peter's estate.

Reviewed by: KT
Reviewed on: 3/3/14
Updates:
Recommendation:
File 7 – Catanich

Burnside, Leigh W (for Petitioner Susan Dinger)
Petition for Letters of Special Administration

DOD: 5/10/10			SUSAN DINGER, named executor without	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
			bond is petitioner and requests	
			appointment as Special Administrator without bond.	
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Cont. from			Petitioner states Diane Catanich,	
	Aff.Sub.Wit.		Decedent's spouse, died on 4/8/09.	
✓	Verified		Under the Will of Diane Catanich, her	
	Inventory		surviving spouse, Peter Catanich, received	
	PTC		the residue of the estate and was the	
	Not.Cred.		successor to Decedent's real property.	
✓	Notice of Hrg		However, Peter Catanich died on 5/10/2010 approximately a year after the	
✓	Aff.Mail	W/	Decedent's death. Prior to his death Peter the real property interest into his name.	
	Aff.Pub.		Based on Peter's death there is no one	
	Sp.Ntc.		authorized to sign as successor of the decedent as defined in under Probate	
	Pers.Serv.		Code §13006 and §13200.	
	Conf.		3,0000 01.0 3,0000	
	Screen		Due to the small value of the estate	
✓	Letters		Petitioner requests that she be appointed	
✓	Duties/Supp		as Special Administrator and be authorized to transfer the property interest belonging	
	Objections		to the Estate of Diane Catanich to Peter	
	Video		Catanich by executing an Affidavit re Real	
	Receipt		Property of Small Value.	
	CI Report			
	9202			
✓	Order			
	Aff. Posting			Reviewed by: KT
	Status Rpt			Reviewed on: 3/3/14
	UCCJEA			Updates:
	Citation			Recommendation:
	FTB Notice			File 10 - Catanich

Coleman, William H (for Robert D. Burns – Petitioner)

Petition for Letters of Administration; Authorization to Administer Under IAEA (Prob. C. 8002, 10450)

DOD: 01/21/2014		ROBERT D. BURNS, husband of decedent's	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
		niece, is petitioner and requests	
		appointment as Administrator without bond.	Proposed personal representative is a
			resident of Sugar Land, Texas.
Co	nt. from	Petitioner is a resident of Sugar Land, Texas.	Probate Code §8571 states not
	Aff.Sub.Wit.	All heirs waive bond and nominate the	withstanding a waiver of bond, the Court in its discretion may require a
	Verified	petitioner.	nonresident personal representative
√	verilled	pointerior.	to give a bond in an amount
	Inventory	Decedent died intestate	determined by the Court.
	PTC		
	Not.Cred.	Residence: Fresno	2. Waivers of Bond attached to the
1	Notice of	Publication: The Business Journal	petition appear to be copies. Need
	Hrg	Estimated value of the Estate:	Originals.
✓	Aff.Mail	Personal property - \$78,000.00	
	Aff.Pub.	Real property - \$235,303.00	Note: If the petition is granted status
\		Total: - \$313,303.00	hearings will be set as follows:
	Sp.Ntc.		
	Pers.Serv.	Probate Referee: Steven Diebert	• Friday, 08/08/2014 at 9:00a.m. in
	Conf.		Dept. 303 for the filing of the
	Screen		inventory and appraisal <u>and</u>
✓	Letters		• Friday, 05/08/2015 at 9:00a.m. in
/	Duties/Supp		Dept. 303 for the filing of the first
È	Objections	=	account and final distribution.
H	Video	=	
	Receipt		Pursuant to Local Rule 7.5 if the required
	CI Report	=	documents are filed 10 days prior to the
	9202	╡	hearings on the matter the status hearing
	Order	-	will come off calendar and no
			appearance will be required.
	Aff. Posting	-	Reviewed by: LV
	Status Rpt	-	Reviewed by. LV Reviewed on: 03/03/2014
	UCCJEA	-	Updates:
	Citation	-	Recommendation:
	FTB Notice	╡	File 11 – Watson
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Coleman, William H (for Executor Diane Winning)

Probate Status Hearing for Failure to File the First Account or Petition for Final Distribution

DOD: 2/2/1998	DIANE WINNING was appointed Executor of	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
	the estate with full IAEA authority and with	
	bond set at \$7,000.00 on 12/10/2002.	
		Need petition for final distribution
Cont. from 120613	Bond filed on 12/16/2002.	<u>or</u> current written status report pursuant to Local Rule 7.5 which
Aff.Sub.Wit.	Letters issued on 12/16/2002.	states in all matters set for status
Verified	I & A filed on 5/9/2003 showing an estate	hearing verified status reports must be filed no later than 10
Inventory	valued at \$49,899.33.	days before the hearing. Status
PTC	Valued at \$49,099.33.	Reports must comply with the
Not.Cred.	Petition for final distribution was due 12/2003.	applicable code requirements.
Notice of	1	Notice of the status hearing,
Hrg	Former Status Report filed on 12/3/13 states	together with a copy of the Status
Aff.Mail	the Executor is working on assembling all	Report shall be served on all
Aff.Pub.	records pertinent to this estate and will	necessary parties.
Sp.Ntc.	require additional time to collect the	
Pers.Serv.	information to prepare an account, and to	
Conf.	obtain the receipts for funds/items disbursed	
Screen	to beneficiaries. The estate will be in a	
Letters	condition to be closed upon the filing of a	
Duties/Supp	Petition for Final Distribution and Executor	
Objections	requests that this Court allow 60 days to file	
Video	such Petition.	
Receipt		
CI Report		
9202		
Order		
Aff. Posting		Reviewed by: KT
Status Rpt		Reviewed on: 3/3/14
UCCJEA		Updates:
Citation		Recommendation:
FTB Notice		File 12 - Brockway
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Margosian, Michael J (for Petitioners David Porter and Suzanne Porter)

Petition for Appointment of Guardian of the Person (Prob. C. 1510)

Age: 15 years		TEMPORARY EXPIRES 3/6/2014	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
	nt. from Aff.Sub.Wit. Verified Inventory PTC Not.Cred. Notice of Hrg Aff.Mail X Aff.Pub. Sp.Ntc. Pers.Serv. Conf. Screen Letters Duties/Supp Objections Video Receipt CI Report 9202 Order	DAVID PORTER and SUZANNE PORTER, non-relatives, are petitioners. Father: JIM DAVIS – personally served on 1/8/14. Mother: EVELYN DAVIS – deceased. Paternal grandfather: Deceased. Paternal grandmother: Unknown Maternal grandfather: Unknown Maternal grandmother: Unknown Maternal grandmother: Unknown Minor: Kenrich Davis – consents and waives notice	 UCCJEA is incomplete. Need minor's residence information for the past 5 years. Need proof of service fifteen (15) days prior to the hearing of the Notice of Hearing along with a copy of the Petition for Appointment of Guardian or consent and waiver of notice or declaration of due diligence for: Paternal Grandparents (Unknown) Maternal Grandparents (Unknown)
	Aff. Posting		Reviewed by: LV
	Status Rpt		Reviewed on: 03/03/2014
✓	UCCJEA		Updates:
	Citation		Recommendation:
	FTB Notice		File 15 – Davis

Atty Getty-Hopkins, Karen (pro per Guardian)
Atty Hopkins, Edwin K. (pro per Guardian)

Status Hearing Re: Blocked Account

Age: 16 years		KAREN GETTY-HOPKINS and EDWIN HOPKINS,	NEEDS/PROBLEMS/COMMENTS:
DOB: 10/	14/1997	maternal grandparents, were appointed as	
		co-guardians on 12/3/2013.	
		5	OFF CALENDAR. Receipt filed on
		Petition alleged that the minor was to	2/5/14.
Cont. fron	n 011614	receive \$100,000.00 in life insurance monies.	
Aff.Su	b.Wit.	Order to Deposit Money into Blocked	
Verifie	ed	Account was signed on 12/3/13 ordering all	
Inven	ntory	funds placed into a blocked account.	
PTC		·	
Not.C	red.	Minute Order dated 12/3/13 set this status	
Notic	e of	hearing for the filing of the receipt for	
Hrg		blocked account.	
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Aff.Pu	ıb.		
Sp.Nt	c.		
Pers.S	Serv.		
Conf.			
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	s/Supp		
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Video			
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